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HOUSE RESOLUTION 46
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A RESOLUTION To recognize the Cooper-Jones Economic & Education Martin Luther King Commemorative Summit in Memphis on April 10-15, 2001, and to welcome Ms. Toni R. Greer as a speaker.

WHEREAS, On April 10-15, 2001, Representative Barbara Cooper and Representative Ulysses Jones, in conjunction with the Hannaian Investment & Publishing Group's Conference on Self-Controlled & Directed Investments, Bloomfield Urban Ministries, and The Youth Opportunities Movement in Memphis, will host the Cooper-Jones Economic and Education Martin Luther King Commemorative Summit; and

WHEREAS, The Summit, to be held at the Memphis Marriott, Downtown, will feature topics on Investment Training, International Trade, Issues in Education, Environmental Issues, Health and Wellness, Youth and Adolescent Culture, and will include special tributes to Henning's Alex Haley Museum, Rufus Thomas, and Willie Mitchell; and

WHEREAS, A number of distinguished speakers will make presentations during the Summit, one of whom is Toni R. Greer of Memphis; and

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WHEREAS, Presently employed with the Legal Department of Buckman Laboratories International, Ms. Greer graduated from Rhodes College in 1998, with a Bachelor of Arts degree in International Studies and a minor in Japanese Language; and

WHEREAS, Throughout her long and distinguished career at Buckman Laboratories International, Ms. Greer has ascended the ranks of the company to serve in her current post as an Intellectual Property Assistant, a position in which she is responsible for coordinating patent prosecution and patent/trademark database management; maintaining, creating, and reviewing confidentiality and nondisclosure agreements (international and domestic); and reviewing licensing contracts; and

WHEREAS, To further increase her productivity and professional development, Toni Greer attends numerous educational workshops, reviews professional publications, establishes personal and professional networks, and participates in professional societies; and

WHEREAS, The inclusion of the invaluable expertise of Ms. Toni R. Greer will be a vital ingredient in the success of the 2001 Cooper-Jones Economic and Education Martin Luther King Commemorative Summit; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we welcome Toni R. Greer of Memphis, thank her for her gracious participation in the Summit, and wish her every success in all her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we offer our best wishes to the hosts, presenters, attendees, and other participants in the Cooper-Jones Economic and Education Martin Luther King Commemorative Summit for a productive and enlightening conference.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.